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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Fjelstad et al.

Application No.: 09/766,814

Group Art Unit: 2851

Filed: January 22, 2001

Examiner: T. T. Dinh

For: MICROELECTRONIC PACKAGES HAVING  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed July 30, 2002, setting forth a Restriction Requirement in the above-identified application. In the Office Action, the Examiner required restriction to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121:

- I. Claims 1-47 drawn to a method of making a microelectronic assembly;
- II. Claims 48-51, drawn to a package microelectronic element.

In response, Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group I, corresponding to claims 1-47. Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application corresponding to the non-elected claims.

In the event any fee is due in connection with the present response, the Examiner is authorized to charge Applicant's Deposit Account No. 12-1095 therefor.

Dated: September 9, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

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